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Title:	NOVEL SUBSTANCE HAVING ALPHA-GLUCOSIDASE INHIBITING ACTIVITY AND FOOD CONTAINING THE SAME		

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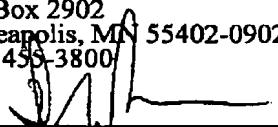
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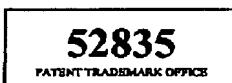
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed August 10, 2007, said period of response being extended from November 10, 2007 to December 10, 2007.

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